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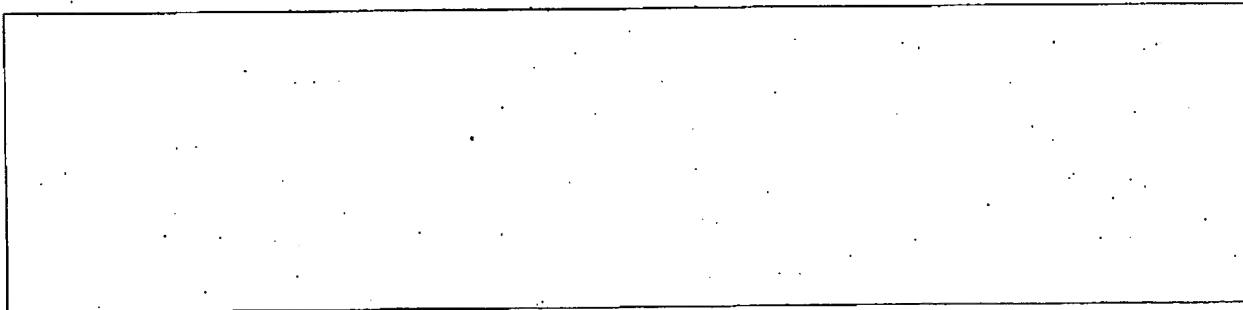
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SUBJECT: Response to Office Action dated 03/17/2004, Application 10/064661,
Filed 08/05/2002, BIOREMEDIATION OF NITROGENOUS CONTAMINENTS by
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Brodman, Bruce W.
and
Lee, Sheng-Yih

Serial No.: 10/064,661

Filed: August 5, 2002

Examiner: Dr. Herbert J. Lilling

Group Art Unit: 1651

For: BIOREMEDIATION OF
NITROGENEOUS CONTAMINENTS

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner of Patents,
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 17, 2004, the deadline for normal response expiring on June 17, 2004, please amend the Application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.